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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</b>		Docket No.:	ABB1207P0860US
Serial No.:	09/669,082	Filing Date:	09/25/2000
Group Art Unit:	1641	Examiner:	Pensee T. Do
Applicant(s):	Richard L. Seopp, et al.		
Invention:	Methods and Kits for Decreasing Interferences in Plasma or Serum Containing Assay Samples of Specific Binding Assays		

Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 7, 2004 in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

**Extension Fee For  
Response Within:**

	First Month	Second Month	Third Month	Fourth Month
<b>Large Entity:</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$110.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$420.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$950.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,480.00
<b>Small Entity:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$210.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$475.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$740.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By

  
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this document and fee (if applicable) is being deposited with the United States Postal Services with sufficient postage as Express Mail No. EV 348826045 US in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on Tuesday, July 20, 2004

  
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